



Spring Camp

Spring Camp will be held at Getz School for registered families during the Tempe Elementary and Kyrene School District Spring Break. The Camp will be held the week of March 9 – 13, from 8 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Extended care will be available from 7 a.m. to 6 p.m. for children currently enrolled in extended care.

Registration forms will be sent on Jan. 31 by email; registration closes on Feb. 7. You will be notified by email to confirm your child's registration by Feb. 14. You will also receive a Family Camp Guide which will provide an overview of the program and how you can support your child's participation.

Registration for Summer Camp will begin in March.



Tempe PRE Enrollment

All returning Tempe PRE students will have priority placement for enrollment in the next school year and **DO NOT** need to reapply. You will be contacted by email to schedule a re-verification appointment in April/May to determine your eligibility for financial assistance and school placement. It is important that you check your email regularly! Siblings of current Tempe PRE students will also receive priority placement if they are 3-years-old by July 31, 2020.



Healthy Kids – One Step Ahead of Germs!

Follow these tips to help your kids (and you!) stay healthier now and in the future:

- ★ Regular and adequate sleep helps the body maintain energy to fend off germs.
- ★ Routine exercise, indoors and out, keeps the body's system in good working order.
- ★ Good nutrition gives the body's cells the building blocks for ongoing health.
- ★ Everybody needs plenty of fluids throughout the day.
- ★ Wash hands often! Be sure to use soap with lots of lather along with a good rinse.

When your child is sick, please don't send them to school! Rest at home is a good choice.



Tax Documents through Active Net

1. Log in at: <https://apm.activecommunities.com/tempeopportunities>.
2. Click **My Account** in the upper right corner.
3. Click **Tax Receipts** under **Account Activity**.
4. Select the applicable individuals and year and then click **Run Report**.

Teacher Spotlight

Meet Amy Soles

Tempe PRE Preschool Teacher at Aguilar Elementary
Education: Bachelor's degree in Early Childhood



- ❖ Why Tempe PRE inspires me: I started teaching preschool in Tempe 15 years ago. At that time, a goal of ours became accessibility to high quality preschool programs for all preschool aged children in our area. Tempe PRE has allowed us to offer exceptional service to all regardless of factors.
- ❖ My favorite activity in the classroom is Dramatic Play! I love creating experiences that immerse the students in learning. I use a variety of student input, props, and settings to create the areas. I love the excitement and interest they show in these areas. In addition, these areas allow for so much conversation, language development and fun!
- ❖ What I wish more parents knew: Have fun and enjoy each moment!! There will be plenty of time for them to focus on the typical learning activities. I encourage you to tickle, chase, dance, go to museums, read goodnight stories (every night) and hug them just a little tighter. Let them be little.
- ❖ The best feeling when I'm working with young learners: They bring so much joy! They make us laugh, they offer so much love and compassion, and we have so much fun together! It always makes me smile in class to see the love we have as a family. Well, that and the silliness!!



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Did you know the 2020 Census will take place in April? The City of Tempe is encouraging a full count of everyone living in the city. Results determine how much federal funding Tempe receives for needs like education, healthcare, transportation, housing assistance and much more. For more information: Tempe.gov/census

Tempe Elementary and Kyrene School District
Important Dates
Feb. 17 – President's Day Holiday, No School

